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7	UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT	
8	NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA	
9	SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION	
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11	UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	Case No.: 02-4948 JSW
12	Plaintiff,	Cuse 110 02 17 10 35 11
13	V.	APPLICATION OF CLAIMANTS VAN PRAAG AND LONGMEAD
14	Real Property at 6557 Ascot Drive, Oakland,	PROPERTIES, INC. TO APPEAR AT
15	California,	SETTLEMENT CONFERENCE BY TELEPHONE; ORDER THEREON
16	Defendant,	Settlement Conf.: November 21, 2007
17	Hereford Humanitarian Business Trust,	Before: Hon. Joseph C. Spero 7:30 a.m.
18	Huibert Johannes van Praag, Longmead Properties Limited and Howard Jachter,	Place: Courtroom A
19	Claimants.	
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21	Claimants Huibert Johannes van Praag and Longmead Properties, Ltd. hereby	
22	respectfully seek the Court's permission to appear at the November 21, 2007 Settlement	
23	Conference in this action telephonically.	
24	It should be noted that, as set forth in previously-filed pleadings, Longmead Properties,	
25	Ltd. has assigned all of its interest in the above entitled action to Mr. van Praag. Further, and a	
26	all parties are aware, Mr. van Praag resides in the United Kingdom. He has made himself	
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28	available by telephone for the duration of the Settlement Conference – and will remain so through close of business November 21, 2007 Pacific Standard Time and beyond, should that be	
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necessary. He will be at the Court's disposal during the entirety of this conference. Moreover, lead trial counsel Kate Dyer will be personally present, with <u>full</u> settlement authority for Mr. van Praag and Longmead Properties, Ltd.

Because traveling to San Francisco from England physically to appear would cause him substantial hardship both personally and financially, claimant van Praag respectfully requests that he be permitted to participate telephonically.

Dated: November 16, 2007

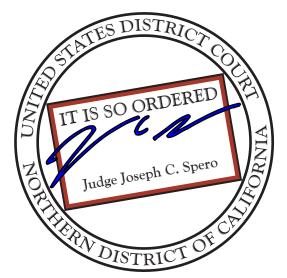
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Respectfully submitted,

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